Liber LL, 5 Value of Ten pounds Current money only excepted) for the Satis-Acts faction of the Remainder of his or their said debt in such sort p. 63 manner and form as he or they might have done if the pson or persons of the said several Prisoners so discharged as afd had never been taken in Execution any Act Statute or Custom to the Contrary notwithstanding.

> And be it further Enacted by the Authority Advice and Consent aforesaid that in Case the sheriff or any other person concerned in the Execution of this Act shall be sued for any matter or Thing required of them or either of them to be done by this Act that then the said Sheriff or other person whom it may Concern may enter a common appearance without Special bail to any such Action or Actions as shall be brought against them or any of them and plead thereto the General Issue and give this Act and the Special matter therein in Evidence and that in case the Plantiffe or Plantiffs Commencing and bringing such Action or Actions as afd shall be nonsuited have a Verdict pass against him or discontinue his Action the Defendant shall recover against him or them double Costs of Suit any Law Statute Uscage or Custom to the Contrary notwithstanding. Provided nevertheless that in Case any of the Prisoners as afd shall at any time after the making such their Oath or Oaths as aforesaid be Convict of wilfull & corrupt perjury thereon or of a wilfull breach or non Complyance with the Tenor of such Oath that then such of the afd Prisoners as shall be Convict as aforesaid shall upon such Conviction be adjudged to stand two hours in the Pillory and have his or their left Ear cut off and shall be wholly deprived of all and singular the Benefits designed them by this Act and shall be thenceforth lyable to be prosecuted for any Debt or Demands whatsoever in the same manner as if this Act had never been made any Thing therein Contained to the Contrary notwithstanding.

p. 64 (Repealed by 1725, ch. 22)

Acts of 1725, An Act to restrain the ill practices of Attorneys and to prevent their taking money fees and Ascertaining what fees shall be allowed to practitioners in the Law who shall attend the Circuit Courts.

Whereas the Sundry Laws that have been heretofore made to restrain the Evil practices of Attorneys and to Ascertain their Tobacco fees in the Several Courts of this Province have been found ineffectual insomuch that Complaints are made from Sundry parts of this province of the Exorbitant fees taken by Councellors at Law Chamber Councill Barristers Attorneys and other practitioners & Advisers in the Law to the great damage and Aggrievance of the good people of this province and impoverishing themselves and familys all which this General Assembly hath taken into their most Serious Consideration and for prevention thereof do pray that it may be Enacted And be it Enacted by the Right Honourable the